DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Rice ...	7·41	6·61	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi ...	13·40	14·14	
Rangoon rice, 2nd sort, not available.			

Agricultural operations.—Raiyats are thrashing ragi.

Cattle are in good condition, "Foot and mouth disease" is prevailing here and there. Water and fodder are sufficiently available.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Fields are being made ready in the Anekal Taluk for sowing sugar cane; Vaisakhi paddy is being sown in the Hoskote, Magadi and Anekal Taluks and weeding operations are being carried on in the paddy fields in some parts in the Anekal, Devanhalli and Anekal Taluks. Sugar cane is planted in the Dodballapur and Magadi Taluks; ragi is being still harvested in parts of the Bangalore and Magadi Taluks; and paddy in parts of the Magadi Taluk; and sugar cane is being milled in the Dodballapur, Kankanhalli, Magadi, Channapatna and Devanhalli Taluks.

State of standing crops.—Paddy crops are in good condition.

Outturn of the harvest.—Ragi—Bangalore Taluk, 8 to 12 annas; Nelamangala Taluk, 8 to 16 annas; Kankanhalli Taluk, 12 annas; paddy—Kankanhalli Taluk, 8 annas; Devanhalli Taluk, 8 to 12 annas; kulthi—Kankanhalli Taluk, 6 annas; Devanhalli Taluk, 8 to 12 annas; sugar cane—Kankanhalli Taluk, 8 annas; Devanhalli Taluk, 8 annas; avare—Devanhalli Taluk, 8 to 12 annas; Kankanhalli Taluk, 6 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Labour is available to the cooly classes. Food stocks are available in sufficient quantities.

11. Except for plague in some parts of the Magadi and Devanhalli Taluks, and cholera in some of the villages of the Kasaba hobli, Channapatna Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Except for "Gersa roga" in some parts of the Channapatna Taluk, cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Sugar cane is being harvested and milled in almost all the Taluks.

Crops sown.—Sugar cane in the Bagepalli and Goribidnur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, and chillies in the Mulbagal Taluk.

Crops harvested and their probable outturn.—Sugar cane in almost all the taluks, yield 12 annas; and horse gram in the Kolar and Chintamani Taluks, yield 8 annas.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar cane and jola are in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for a few cases of plague in some parts of the Kolar and Malur Taluks and Kolar Gold Fields, and for cholera in the Mulbagal Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. But for a few cases of "Foot and mouth disease" in some parts of the Goribidnur Taluk, cattle are reported to be healthy. Pasture and fodder are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy in parts of the Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Gubbi and Kunigal Taluks; sugar cane in parts of the Gubbi and Kunigal Taluks; and nat ragi in parts of the Sira Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in parts of the Tumkur and Maddagiri Taluks, yield 8 to 12 annas; sugar cane in parts of the Tumkur, Sira, Gubbi and Kunigal Taluks and Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks, yield 8 to 12 annas; Bengal gram in parts of the Chiknayakanhalli, Sira and Gubbi Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas; and castor in parts of the Sira Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas.

Condition of standing crops.—Paddy, sugar cane, wheat, cotton, jola, and Bengal gram are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in the Malligere village in the Chiknayakanhalli Taluk, and small-pox in parts of the Chiknayakanhalli Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Except for "Foot and mouth disease" in a few villages of the Chiknayakanhalli and Gubbi Taluks, and "Chappe roga" in parts of the Kunigal Taluk, cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops* are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Bengal gram in parts of the Hunsur and Heggaddevankote Taluks; black gram in parts of the Heggaddevankote Taluk; and paddy and sugar cane in parts of the Mandya Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in some villages of the Mysore, Chamrajnagar, Hunsur, Yedatore, Nanjangud, T.-Narsipur and Malvalli Taluks and cholera in parts of the Mysore, Chamrajnagar, Hunsur, Gundlupet, Nanjangud, T.-Narsipur, Malvalli, Krishnarajpete and Nagamangala Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Sugar cane and kadale in the Hassan, Arkalgud and Channarayapatna Taluks; kode paddy in the Manjarabad Taluk; sugar cane in the Belur Taluk and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; sugar cane, jola and paddy in the Arsikere Taluk; and sugar cane, avare, kadale and coriander in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk, are reported to be in good condition.

Crop harvested.—Kadale in the Arkalgud and Arsikere Taluks is being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good.

11. Except for cholera in parts of the Channarayapatna Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Sugar cane is being planted in the Shimoga and Sagar Taluks and in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

Standing crops.—Bengal-gram and white jola in the Channagiri Taluk and sugar cane in parts of the Tirthahalli Taluk and in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk, are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in the Shimoga, Sorab and Sagar Taluks; ragi, horse gram and Bengal gram in the Shimoga Taluk; wheat, Bengal gram and oil seeds in the Honnali Taluk; and pepper and arecanut in the Sagar Taluk, are being harvested. Sugar cane is being milled in the Shimoga, Channagiri, Shikarpur, Sorab, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks and in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. But for plague in parts of the Channagiri and Shikarpur Taluks; ague and fever in parts of the Sorab and Sagar Taluks and small-pox in the Sagar Town and in the Karur hobli of the Sagar Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in parts of the Kadur, Tarikere and Mudgere Taluks.

Crops sown.—Nil.

Condition of standing crops.—Sugar cane, castor, garlic, onions, Bengal gram, fenugreek, besige jola, kusube and areca, are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugar cane, avare, togari, castor, garlic, onions Bengal gram and fenugreek in the Chikmagalur Taluk; sugar cane in the Kadur Taluk; areca in the Mudgere Taluk and sugar cane in the Yedahalli Sub-Taluk and Sringeri.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Supply of food stuffs is sufficient.

11. Except for plague in certain villages of the Chikmagalur and Kadur Taluks and small-pox in certain villages of the Chikmagalur, Kadur, Tarikere and Koppa Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. "Foot and mouth disease" prevails in parts of all the taluks in the district except Sringeri. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Such as paddy, cotton, togari, wheat, Bengal gram, castor, chillies, bili jola, horse gram, and sugar cane, are reported to be in good condition.

Seeds sown.—Paddy in the Challakere Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Togari in the Chitaldrug, Challakere and Jagalur Taluks, yield 8 to 12 annas; cotton in the Chitaldrug and Challakere Taluks, yield 8 to 12 annas; castor and horse gram in the Challakere and Jagalur Taluks, yield 12 annas; Bengal gram in the Challakere, Jagalur and Hosdurga Taluks, yield 12 annas; ragi, avare and sugar cane in the Chitaldrug Taluk, yield 8 annas; and wheat in the Challakere Taluk, yield 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stocks are available.

11. Public health is generally good.

12. Except for "Foot and mouth disease" in the Chitaldrug, Davangere, Jagalur and Hosdurga Taluks, cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

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